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1. Chemiepha, G.m.b.H., is an independent organization working on orders of the Main Administration of Soviet Property in Berlin-Weissenhof and for the Economic Section of the SED Central Secretariat. The firm's offices are in Berlin C 2, Scharrenstrasse 9a, Telephone 517901 and 517902. Currently, Chemiepha is trying to obtain equipment for gasoline production, thorium, certain special oils, pyrites, copper, steel, rolled products and other special materials.
2. The firm has two directors, (frü) Schreck and (fru) Gehrmann. Schreck, formerly Director of DRZ-Holz, comes from Thuringia. He is reported to have direct connections with the "Council of Five" and the SED. Gehrmann was appointed in late May by the Central Secretariat of the SED. He is charged with the political supervision of Chemiepha and of Schreck. He takes each signed contract to the Central Secretariat of the party for approval (Gegenzeichnung).
3. The following are reported to be members of the first sales department:

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- a) (Fnu) Sydow: Director of the first sales department, previously a representative (sic) in the Rhineland. He received a salary of 900 DM East per month. [REDACTED]

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- b) - Paulslein (fnu) Dittberner: Described as "Sydow's right hand"
She is an experienced specialist; she also has troubles with
Gekermann. [redacted]

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- c) Fräulein (Mrs) Boeck: A member of the FDJ, she will succeed Fräulein Bittner. She was brought into the organization by Gehrmann.

4. Personnel in the second sales department includes:

- a) (Fnu) Bischoff: Formerly in the Ministry for Internal German Trade. His assignment is to purchase by special means material which is hard to obtain (ungpassmaterialien).
- b) (Fnu) Hagensen: A member of the FDJ who has attended the Forest Linna school, he is Bischoff's deputy. He has no technical experience for the job.

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